(d) if so, the details in this regard indicating the names of these ten industries and the details of their products?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES (SHRI SONTOSH MOHAN DEV): (a) and (b) There is no formal classification as 'heavy industries'. However, as per Public Enterprises (PE) Survey 2002-03, there are 227 operating Central Public Sector Enterprises (CPSEs), out of which 118 have earned profit, 107 enterprises incurred loss and 2 CPSEs neither incurred loss nor earned profit during 2002-03, the latest period for which information is available.

(c) and (d) The top ten profit making CPSEs have earned 69.52% of total net profit of all CPSEs during the year 2002-03. The names of these CPSEs are listed at table 1.15, volume-I, of PE Survey 2002-03 and details of these individual enterprises are given in volume-II of PE survey 2002-03 already placed in both Houses of Parliament on June 8, 2004.

Revival of BOGL, Hindustan Cables etc.

187. SHRI DIPANKAR MUKHERJEE: Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

(a) the revival plans, for Bharat Opthalmic Glass Limited (BOGL), Hindustan Cables, Burn Standard and Braithwaite Co. with brief outlines of technical and financial rehabilitation;

(b) whether the salaries and wages are not being paid regularly to the employees of the above units; and

(c) if so, the outstanding statutory dues of the workers in the above PSUs and the Action Plan to liquidate the same?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES (SHRI SONTOSH MOHAN DEV): (a) The status of revival plans in respect of the companies is as follows:-

Bharat Opthalmic Glass Limited (BOGL): A revival package amounting to Rs. 29.77 crores was prepared in 1999. However it was not found feasible and BIFR ordered winding up in June, 2003.

Hindustan Cables Limited (HCL): Revival package has been prepared by BIFR appointed Operating Agency, which, *inter-alia*, has the following components:

Financial: Total cost of the revival scheme is about Rs. 1416 crores comprising.

(i) Equity participation by the Government of India of Rs. 933 crores, of which Rs. 603 crores comprises financing of previous cash losses made by the company and Rs. 219 crores is the proposed payment to pressing creditors, and the balance *inter-alia* including VRS cost, capital and other expenditure, and working capital margin.

(ii) Reliefs, concessions, and sacrifices by financial institutions/ banks amounting to nearly Rs. 483 crores.

Technical: The technical component comprises of routine capital expenditure of Rs. 21 crore over 3 years and Rs. 9.00 crores as balancing facility for the Optical Fibre Cable project.

Burn Standard Company Limited (BSCL): Rehabilitation Scheme sanctioned in 1999 comprising of infusion funds of Rs. 158.3 crore, financial restructuring of Rs. 465.36 crore and other reliefs and concessions of Rs. 175 crores was declared failed in September, 2001, and BIFR ordered change of Management. BIFR has allowed time to complete joint venture exercise.

Braithwaite & Company Limited (BCL): Rehabilitation Scheme comprising of fresh infusion funds of Rs. 29.10 crore, financial restructuring of Rs. 144.46 crore was sanctioned in 1995. The scheme was declared as failed in January, 2003 and BIFR ordered change of Management. BIFR has on request, given time to Government to locate JV partner.

(b)

BOGL	Yes, Sir
HCL	Yes, Sir
BSCL	No, Sir (except for Burnpur works)
BCL	No, Sir.

(c) The outstanding statutory dues of these companies are:-

Name of the PSUs	All figures as of June 2004
	(Rupees in crores)
BOGL	1.78
HCL	71.5
BSCL	5.57
BCL	1.21

These dues would be sought to be liquidated on case to case basis in consultation with the Ministry of Finance with reference to relevant guidelines.

Revival of HMT, Srinagar and Nagaland Paper Pulp Ltd.

188. SHRI DIPANKAR MUKHERJEE: Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the revival plans of HMT Chinar Watches Limited, Srinagar, J & K and Nagaland Paper Pulp Limited, are under Government's consideration;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) if not, whether socio-political factor is being taken into consideration for re-exploring the possibilities of restarting and reviving the above units; if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES (SHRI SONTOSH MOHAN DEV): (a) to (c) Government are currently examining revival plans in respect of HMT Chinar Watches Ltd., Srinagar, J & K and Nagaland Pulp and Paper Co., Tuli with reference to their possible financial and manpower restructuring, strengthening of manufacturing and marketing activities keeping the overall socio-economic factors in view.

TV channel for agricultural education

189. SHRI S.M. LALJAN BASHA: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the IGNOU has planned to start an exclusive TV channel for the agricultural education;

(b) if so, the details of the level of agricultural education that would be imparted through TV;

(c) whether the IGNOU has tied up with any agricultural university for this purpose; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and the medium of instructions?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI MD. ALI ASHRAF FATMI): (a) An exclusive National TV Channel for agriculture, "Kisan Channel" is being